

# Fortresses Damage 5 Ships

## Our Daily Bread

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Schools Take Hand in Taxes

Independent Oil Man—He Does the Job

Discovery of a 1929 state law which makes school directors responsible for checking tax assessments within their districts may go a long way toward solving the wartime problems of Arkansas' public schools.

## Six Convicted of Treason to Get Second Trial

Chicago, June 29 — (AP) — The United States Circuit Court of Appeals reversed today the conviction of six Chicagoans on charges of treason and remanded their case to the district court for a second trial.

Defendants were Hans Haupt, Otto Wegin and Walter Froehling, who had been sentenced to death in the electric chair, and their wives, Mrs. Erna Haupt, Mrs. Kate Wegin and Mrs. Lucille Froehling, who had each been sentenced to 25 years imprisonment.

They were convicted last Nov. 14, accused of harboring and aiding Herbert Haupt, son of the Haupts and one of the eight Nazi saboteurs brought to the United States in German submarines, last spring.

The opinion reversing their conviction was unanimous.

"As we read it the jury was told that the act of one defendant, in furtherance of a common design, was the act of all and that all were chargeable therewith," the appellate court's opinion said in part.

"We think the conclusion inescapable that the jury would understand that one or more defendants could be convicted for the act of another."

"The government also argues that this instruction was proper on the theory that the defendants were acting in concert for the accomplishment of a common purpose or a treasonable plot. No such situation, however, was alleged in the indictment, and even if it had been we are of the opinion that a defendant charged with treason cannot under a conspiracy theory be convicted of an overt act committed by some other person."

"We need go no farther in discussing the numerous other criticisms directed at the court's charge and its refusal to give instructions proposed by the defendants."

The appeals court found some of the instructions were erroneous and that the error of the attack on the alleged unfairness of the trial "resolves in the main around the court's denial of the defendant's motion" for separate trials.

U. S. Attorney J. Albert Wall announced the government would seek an immediate rehearing.

Young Haupt, whom the defendants were accused of helping, was captured with his accomplices before they could carry out their plans to sabotage American industry. Haupt and five fellow conspirators were executed in Washington last Aug. 8.

## Internment Camp Contract Is Let

Little Rock, June 29 — (AP) — The Little Rock office of U. S. Engineers today awarded three contracts totalling approximately \$1,000,000 for construction at the Monticello, Ark., and Ruston, La., internment camps and the Newport, Ark., army air field.

T. L. James Co., Ruston, was awarded a less than \$500,000 contract for additional buildings at the Louisiana camp.

Peterson McFadden, Little Rock, was awarded a less than \$500,000 contract for erection of additional buildings at the Monticello camp, and Forum - James Construction Co., Dyersburg, Tenn., was given a less than \$100,000 contract for repair of roads at the Newport air field.

## It's the Direction That Counts

Wheeling, W. Va. (AP) — John Gorkin, Jr., figured he had had more than his share of ups and downs and so today he is working as a substitute mail carrier.

Gorkin traveled a little over 16-348 miles on the elevator at the Wheeling federal building and admitted he was getting a bit tired of it.

During the eight years he served as the elevator operator he said he made more than 2,499,995 trips.

## Marvin Jones Is New OPA Chief Replacing Davis

—Washington

By OVID A. MARTIN

Washington, June 29 — (AP) — Judge Marvin Jones took today as the third war-time food administrator in less than seven months the Roosevelt administration let Chester C. Davis go and thus evidenced new determination to put stabilization of prices over all other considerations in the nation's food program.

Jones, an affable Texan with a long agricultural background including legislative leadership in putting AAA crop control and other farm - aid legislation on the statute books, moved into the job with a record as a staunch supporter of President Roosevelt's policies.

His appointment to replace Davis, who himself was drafted in March to settle differences which had developed among administration officials, was taken to mean that future food programs would be cut to patterns designed, above all else, to provide food at present or lower prices.

This change in food bosses came after Davis had offered his resignation at some near future date with the explanation that he did not agree with the policy of putting consumer prices above all other considerations, particularly when it involved the use of subsidies and when consumers have, as he said, excess spending power.

Davis also said that while he was responsible for meeting food needs other persons were exercising authority over broad policies and issuing orders affecting his responsibility.

"There were a large number of participants in the formation of those policies, you know," he said, but he declined to name them.

He likewise declined, at a press conference following the White

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## Low-Mileage Auto Owners Are Restricted

Washington, June 29 — (AP) — Rubber Director William M. Jeffers today called for "strict adherence" during the next few months to tire conservation regulations and the Office of Price Administration put force to his words by sharply reducing the number of low-mileage passenger car owners eligible for used and recapped tires.

Jeffers advised OPA that only 500,000 used and recapped tires will be available for rationing in July, a reduction of 300,000 from June.

Beginning July 1, and probably for a period of 90 days when supplies of used tires are being put into serviceable condition, the eligibility of drivers with mileage ratings of 240 miles or less a month will be determined by these standards:

1.—In the eastern gasoline shortage area, where an "A" book is good for 90 miles, drivers who hold only an "A" book cannot get replacements. They can still have their present tires recapped without getting rationing certificates.

2. Outside the shortage area, where the "A" book provides 240 miles a month, the applicant must show he used his car for essential purposes.

Present regulations make all low-mileage drivers eligible for used or recapped tires. Regulations for drivers with monthly mileage ratings exceeding 240 miles were not changed.

"We do not want to be forced to impose any new and more drastic regulations other than limiting the eligibility for grade 3 tires (used and recaps)," Jeffers told OPA. "But this may have to be done if present regulations and advice does not bring the necessary results to tide us over this period while we are scraping the bottom of the barrel for tires to keep essential cars in service."

Jeffers said that while synthetic rubber now is being produced, there will be some delay in fabricating it into passenger car tires because of the shortage of facilities, equipment and manpower. He said he hoped in time to have such a supply that "most if not all existing regulations" could be removed sometime next year.

At the same time, Price Administrator Prentiss Brown disclosed that reductions in the values of A, B and C gasoline coupons will be unchanged for the present.

## Wallace Charges Jones Harrassing Efforts of BEW

—Washington

Washington, June 29 — (AP) — In a new clash between major administration figures, Vice President Wallace today accused Secretary of Commerce Jones of "obstructionist tactics" and of harrassing the Board of Economic Warfare (BEW) in its "single-minded effort to help shorten this war by securing adequate stocks of strategic materials."

In a statement prepared for the Senate appropriations committee, Wallace, chairman of BEW, also stated that Jones, who heads the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, which supplies funds for BEW buying of strategic materials, had created a "false impression" in testimony before the Congressional Economy committee headed by Senator Byrd (D-Va.).

"It is time to prevent further harmful misrepresentations of this nature," Wallace said, adding: "Although the president, on April 13, 1942, transferred full control over the programming of imported strategic materials from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to the board of economic warfare, which operates under broad directives received from the War Production Board (WPB), Mr. Jones has never fully accepted that authority."

"He and his personnel down the line have thrown a great many obstacles in the way of our exercise of the powers given us to carry out wartime assignments. Some of these obstructionist tactics have been minor and annoying and some have been of major consequence in this job of waging total war."

In his statement, Wallace discussed the stockpiling of various strategic materials. He said congress had made funds available for such a purpose as far back as 1939 and that in the summer of 1940 the RFC was given funds for stockpiling.

"From the summer of 1940 until well past December 7, 1941," Wallace said, "the Reconstruction Finance Corporation failed miserably, so far as the import field was concerned, to build the stockpiles authorized and directed by the congress nearly eighteen months before Pearl Harbor."

"During this period, of course, private purchasing of imports continued on a somewhat increased scale due to better business, and the Reconstruction Finance Corporation entered into various unwise and derelict agreements with some countries under which we agreed to take surpluses if they were not bought privately."

"This seems to us to have been a timid, business-as-usual procedure; at least it was a 'far cry' from the aggressive government stockpiling which the Congress directed and authorized so that this nation might have a margin of security in its imported raw materials inventories."

Wallace referred to testimony of last December before the Senate Banking committee in which he and Milo Perkins, executive director of BEW, "gave evidence of the extent to which he (Jones) had delayed the foreign rubber program and cited specifically his stalling in the gathering of wild rubber in South America and the planting of rubber plantations in Africa and in the planting of cryptoglossia for natural rubber in the Caribbean."

He said he was making out today's additional statement because "the effort to misrepresent the facts concerning the board of economic warfare has continued."

## Cologne Again Hammered by Big Force of RAF Bombers

By RICE YAHNER

London, June 29 — (AP) — The RAF returned in great strength last night to Cologne where 1,000 bombers had blasted 300 acres of destruction in May 1942 and laid the pattern for the city-by-city razing of German war industry.

In a double-bladed attack, British heavy bombers also struck overnight at Hamburg, submarine building center, and continued the mauling that official sources announced yesterday had caused the sinking of at least 400 Axis vessels since the war started.

Twenty-five bombers were listed as missing.

Thundering over the scene of the world's first 1,000-bomber raid for the 117th time, the RAF left fires leaping up towards the overhanging clouds.

The German high command called the Cologne attack "another serious terror raid against residential quarters."

## When Ammunition Cars Explode



This photo shows shell-strewn right-of-way after two cars of shells exploded and shelled the city of Grand Junction, Colorado Sunday morning. The wreckage of the cars is in the background.

## Yanks Hammer Kiska in 6 More Attacks

Washington, June 29 — (AP) — Six more smashing aerial attacks were made against Japanese installations on Kiska island in the Aleutians Sunday, the Navy reported today, and yesterday army planes followed up with a raid against that island and nearby Little Kiska.

In the South Pacific, meanwhile, a Navy communiqué reported, American planes bombed "a small Japanese naval disposition" in the central Solomons but did not observe results. The action appeared to be of little consequence on the basis of a naval spokesman's interpretation.

He said that while he did not know the makeup of the enemy force it might have been only a small group such as a destroyer and cargo ship or a squadron of torpedo boats.

Sunday's raids on Kiska raised to 22 the number of separate air actions carried out over that enemy-held Pacific outpost in a four-day period.

While there was no explanation for the decline in activity on Monday, it was assumed here that the weather had closed in again.

The attacks against Kiska are regarded as pre-invasion, softening up raids, preparing the way for the amphibious expedition that some day is expected to smash the Little Japanese hold on the American island chain.

Navy communiqué No. 427 said: "South Pacific (all dates east longitude):"

"1. On June 28th: Memphis (unannounced) at New York."

"(A) Early in the evening a formation of Dauntless dive bombers and Avenger torpedo bombers, escorted by Wildcat fighters, attacked Japanese positions at Rekata Bay, Santa Isabel island. The bombing created so much smoke and dust that observation of the results was difficult.

"During the evening, a formation of Dauntless dive bombers and Avenger torpedo bombers, escorted by Wildcat fighters, attacked Munda New Georgia island. A number of fires were started in the defensive position."

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## Nothing Dull in McKnight Divorce Suit

Little Rock, June 29 — (AP) — Under-table pinches from his actress - wife June Knight were made against Cameron's reward for an attempt to carry on polite conversation with Film Star Betty Grable, the wealthy Texas and Indiana oil man told an Arkansas divorce court.

The incident was described by Cameron as the court heard his side of the divorce action. A cross-complaint by Miss Knight is scheduled for hearing as soon as the Cameron suit is completed.

"Mrs. Cameron is so jealous I'd say it was phobia with her," said the oil man who married Miss Knight at Beverly Hills, Calif., in 1938, and separated from her at Evansville, Ind., last fall.

At one party, he said, Miss Grable was on his left, Miss Knight on his right and twice when he turned to talk to Miss Grable, his wife pinched him. Finally, he said, he persuaded Miss Grable to seize Miss Knight's hand the next time she pinched him in hopes it would "cure Mrs. Cameron of her jealousy."

Cameron said their romance began to sour in the spring of 1942 when he discovered Miss Knight had engaged a detective to follow him. He retaliated, he said, by hiring a detective to follow her detective.

A series of spats, Cameron recounted, culminated one night last September when she drove an interior decorator from their Evansville home to a hotel and returned after midnight "fighting drunk" with her hair "down in her face and her lipstick smeared."

The oil man identified the decorator as Russell Brown of Chicago who had come to take interior pictures of their home for a national magazine.

When and photographers showed up the next morning Cameron said he told them:

"I don't want any pictures of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Cameron's house in Harper's Bazaar, because Mr. and Mrs. Cameron are separated."

The oil man said his wife constantly asked him for money and that he deposited an average of \$1,000 a month to her account.

Cameron filed his divorce suit here last February under Arkansas' 90-day law, but testified yesterday that he intended to make Little Rock his permanent home because his parents were natives of this state.

## Seven Arkansans Prisoners of Nazis

Washington, June 29 — (AP) — Seven Arkansans were among 922 United States soldiers interned as prisoners of war in Germany, announced by the War Department today.

They were: Pfc. Grover F. Clark, son of Mrs. Nancy E. Clark, Eureka Springs. Pvt. Grady R. Condra, son of Mrs. Victoria Condra, Route 1, Box 200, Harrisburg.

Pvt. Jesse D. Cook, son of Mrs. Nettie M. Cook, Route 1, Grammis. Pvt. Oliver S. Fant, son of Mrs. Fant, Route 1, Grammis.

## Japanese Raid on Darwin Is Broken Up

By the Associated Press  
Allied fighters were officially credited today with breaking up an 18-plane Japanese raid on Darwin, Australia, while Gen. Douglas MacArthur's long-range bombers fought their way through heavy weather to attack four enemy bases in the arc of islands to the north.

Washington observers said the rising tempo of the Allied offensive, ranging from Kiska in the Aleutians to the South Seas, might well mark the opening phases of a new campaign to smash the Japanese farther back in the Pacific.

A communiqué from Gen. MacArthur's headquarters said nine twin-engine bombers, escorted by nine Zeros, met a stinging reception when they attempted to raid the Darwin area yesterday noon.

British and Australian pilots, flying Spitfires, shot down two Zeros and probably destroyed two other enemy fighters and two bombers against a loss of one Spitfire. Slight damage and no casualties were reported at Darwin.

Winging through dirty weather over the Banda sea, U. S. Liberators battered Japanese air dromes on Ambon and in the Boeroe islands, 800 miles above Australia, and other Allied bombers raided the airfields at Cape Gloucester and Rabaul, New Britain.

On the Burma front, RAF planes carried out widespread attacks on the enemy, bombing the Japanese base at Akyab on the Bay of Bengal coast, shooting up traffic on the Irrawaddy and Kaladan rivers, and raking oil installations at Chauk.

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## English Girl Sensation of Golf Tourney

By CHARLES CHAMBERLAIN  
Chicago, June 29 — (AP) — The newest sensation in women's golf is 18-year-old Catherine Fox, who, as just a tot, built sand castles in the bunkers of the Kidderminster golf club in England.

Born in a house on that course, where her father was a pro, Catherine was brought up with a putter in her hand instead of a doll. She was only two years old when she came to this country with her parents, and was first golf when she played in her only golf tournament.

Catherine's father, Jack Fox, who was pro at Leven, Scotland, before going to England, chewed up several cigars during anxious moments yesterday when she fired a 78 over the Glen Oaks links to tie with 21-year-old Ann Casey of Mason City, Iowa, for runner-up medalist honors in the Women's Western Open.

Patty Berg of Minneapolis, out of competitive golf 18 months after shattering her left knee cap in an automobile accident, made a grand comeback with an even par 76 to win the medal. In the first round of match play today she was paired with Mrs. Opal S. Hill of Kansas City, Mo., the veteran who captured the open in 1935 and 1936 and who qualified in another sparkling comeback with a respectable 86.

## Havoc Created in 100-Plane Raid on Leghorn Base

—Africa

By NOLAN NORGAARD  
Allied Headquarters in North Africa, June 29 — (AP) — One hundred Flying Fortresses flying roundtrip more than 1,100 miles smashed the northern Italian port of Leghorn with several hundred tons of bombs yesterday, damaging a light cruiser and four supply ships and creating havoc in oil tanks, railway yards and industrial plants.

The four-engine bombers hammered at the city for nine concentrated minutes and returned home without loss. Allied headquarters announced.

"They created such ruin that an official report said 'five hours after the raid the entire port was still so heavily covered by smoke that accurate inspection of the damage was then impossible.'"

"Later, however," the report stated, "it was learned that all the storage tanks and an oil refinery were ablaze and that an inner 'inactive' light cruiser and four supply ships in the harbor were damaged. Little opposition was encountered and all the Fortresses returned safely."

(The Italians admitted "very great" damage at Leghorn and said 175 persons were killed and 300 injured.)

Meanwhile American medium bombers and fighters concentrated on airfields in Sardinia, setting buildings ablaze and pounding dispersal areas, and RAF Wellingtons raided San Giovanni near the toe of the Italian mainland.

Fighter-bombers flying out of Malta scored hits on two factories and a railway at Licata, Sicily, a British communiqué said, and other planes started a fire at Comiso airdrome.

Photographs of the Leghorn raid showed "one hit and two damaging misses on the cruiser, and a picture interpreter also reported many hits on the oil tanks," the official report said. "Also hit by numerous bombs were the railroad yards leading to the marshalling yards and tracks east of the city, a bridge, sheds, a storage depot or two." Hits were also scored near an iron foundry and torpedo factory.

Nearly 100 Fortresses raided Leghorn, 180 miles north of Rome, on May 28 in their longest combat flight from North African bases up to that time.

Medium bombers ranging over Sardinia encountered heavy enemy opposition both from the ground and in the air.

Heavy attacks upon Reggio Calabria and Messina also were reported by the Italian high command.

Airfields in the Olbia - Venafria district in northeast Sardinia were attacked by medium bombers. B-25 Mitchells, escorted by P-38 Lightnings, dropped explosives on the barracks, administrative buildings, hangars and dispersal areas in the Alghero-Perfetta district on the northwest coast.

In other forays, B-26 Marauders with an escort of Lightnings and P-40 Warhawks, attacked airfields at Milis and Decimomannu to the south.

A dozen enemy aircraft were destroyed in the day's operations, the war bulletin said, and two Allied planes were listed as missing.

## Violent Air Battles Rage Over Leningrad

Moscow, June 29 — (AP) — Violent aerial battles are swirling over the approaches to Leningrad with the Germans losing "a big number of planes" in the last 25 days, battlefront dispatches reported today.

German losses were so heavy the Nazis have changed their tactics, increasing fighter escort for bombers and varying the times of raids, it was said.

From the front farther north on the Rybachy (Fisher) Peninsula other dispatches pictured fighting complicated by weather and the fact the darkness never occurs.

People live in huts and caves and come out to watch aerial battles or listen to artillery duels or peer with field glasses at Allied ships battling their way into Murmansk. There the weather changes as many as 10 times a day, with frequent heavy downpours. The short northern summer is about ended. Then comes worse weather.

Movement of an armored division and its equipment requires 75 railroad trains or from 28 to 45 cars each.



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(Oscar), Phone 180-J. 23-6th.

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LEATHER KEY CASE CONTAIN-  
ing car and door keys. Lost on  
corner of Shover and Second  
Street Thursday afternoon. Re-  
ward. Phone 175-W. 28-3th.

**OUT OUR WAY**  
By J. R. Williams  
WHEN YOU SAW THAT DOOR  
WAS GOING TO SLAM, WHY  
DIDN'T YOU JUMP OUT  
OF THE WAY?  
I DID JUMP—  
BUT MY PANTS  
COULDN'T  
MAKE IT!  
TRAILER TROUBLE  
J. R. Williams  
6-29

**Wanted to Rent**  
THREE OR FOUR-ROOM UN-  
furnished apartment. Call or see  
Dayton Matlock at Stuarts Store.  
29-3rd.  
**Cologne Again**  
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last hit March 3 and an air target  
nearly 100 times since the war be-  
gan.  
In secondary night sweeps, fighter-  
command aircraft attacked en-  
emy shipping the channel, damag-  
ing one small supply vessel and  
two escort craft, the communi-  
cations said. At the same time intru-  
der patrols attacked railway targets  
in France.  
Last night's raid was the eighth  
British assault on German targets  
in 10 days.  
Cologne was the target of the  
first 1,000-bomber raid on May  
30, 1942, when more than 300 acres  
were devastated in the center of  
the city straddling the Rhine.  
Last night's attack, it was be-  
lieved, may have delivered almost  
as great a bombardment because the  
RAF's latest planes carry a greater  
weight. Also many of the  
squadrons in last year's attack  
were medium bombers.  
The twin foray by the British  
bombers followed up a two-way  
attack yesterday by strong forma-  
tions of American Flying  
Fortresses on two enemy targets  
in occupied France—the subma-  
rine yards at St. Nazaire and an  
enemy fighter airfield at  
Beaumont-Le-Roger, 30 miles  
southwest of Rouen.  
Such Allied air blows on the  
French homeland, the Nazi-con-  
trolled Vichy radio declared today  
in a broadcast recorded by the  
Associated Press, have made  
more than 16,000 persons home-  
less. The report also said that  
fatal casualties averaged 15 daily  
from June 25, 1940, to June 21,  
1943.  
Perlin asserted that 11 of the  
American four-engine planes  
were shot down during yesterday's  
attack. The U. S. Eighth Air Force  
reported six missing.  
The Americans flew in clear  
weather, described as "designed  
for high level precision bombing,"  
and the official announcement said  
results were good. The fliers  
reported direct hits at St. Nazaire's  
big fires were left at Beaumont-  
Le-Roger.  
The Yankee fliers, making their  
ninth attack on the St. Nazaire  
U-boat lair and their first on  
the Beaumont-Le-Roger air-  
fields, destroyed a number of en-  
emy fighters, the communique said.  
The fighter defenses and anti-  
aircraft concentrations which the  
Nazis were reported last week to  
have spread in new strength along  
western European coastal areas  
were very little in evidence at St.  
Nazaire. The Yanks reported some  
misdirected flak and counted only  
25 fighters. They agreed it was  
the easiest of any of their nine  
jobs there.  
Britain itself enjoyed a raid-free  
night, the Germans contenting  
themselves with throwing shells  
across Dover strait area from  
their big guns at Calais at inter-  
vals for nearly an hour.

**Today in Congress**  
By The Associated Press  
Senate  
May pass record war appropri-  
ations bill.  
Special defense committee re-  
opens army aircraft hearing—ex-  
ecutive—  
House  
Debates conference reports on  
appropriation bills.  
**Hold Everything**  
CAMP THEATER  
"Little Miss Blatt will now en-  
tertain you with selections on  
the bugle!"  
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**THE HIGHEST POINT**  
ON WHICH THE  
**AMERICAN**  
**FLAG**  
EVER WAS  
PLANTED IS ATOP  
**MINYA**  
**KONKA,**  
24,900 FOOT  
MOUNTAIN PEAK,  
IN SIKANG  
PROVINCE,  
CHINA.  
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1932)  
KENT KOPPER  
CHIGGERS  
DON'T SUCK YOUR  
BLOOD... BUT A  
PREDIGESTED FLUID  
IN THE TISSUES.  
WHERE'S ELMER?  
ANSWER: Boothia peninsula, Canadian Northwest territory.  
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**OUR BOARDING HOUSE with Major Hoople**  
IF YOU'RE  
TAKING THAT  
FULL WINDUP  
TO REDUCE,  
MAY I  
HUMBLY  
SUGGEST  
TRYING  
A MEAT  
SLICER?  
PUFF-FF! NO, SMARTIES!  
NO PUFF-FF! I'M  
TRAINING TO DEFEND  
MY TUG O' WAR CHAMP-  
IONSHIP AT THE OWLS  
PICNIC!—AS A BOY  
I COULD PULL THE AXLE  
OFF A FARM  
WAGON DRAWN BY  
STOUT PLOW  
HORSES!  
CAN YOU  
ENTER THE  
CONTEST  
SITTING DOWN?  
IF THEY'D  
LET YOU WORK  
FROM AN EASY  
CHAIR, I'D BET  
ON YOU AGAINST  
A STEAM  
WINCH!  
AND DON'T  
CALL HIM A  
BIG JERK EITHER—  
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**SIDE GLANCES**  
By Galbraith  
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**FUNNY BUSINESS**  
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**THIS CURIOUS WORLD**  
By William Ferguson  
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**Wash Tubbs**  
YOUR IDENTITY CARD  
IS IN ORDER, FRAULEIN,  
BUT I MUST SEARCH  
THE HAIR!  
NO, DON'T!  
A PIG!  
YOU MAY PASS,  
FRAULEIN!  
Correct Psychology  
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**Popeye**  
CANTCHA  
EVEN BE  
PLEASINK  
FROM THIS MINUTE ON, WE  
ARE STRANGERS—KINDLY  
REFRAIN FROM SPEAKING TO ME  
WELL, AT'S AT  
(GOOFY DAME!)  
THIS IS HIS HOUSE!  
(HE WILL BE HERE  
SOON)  
WELL, BLOW ME  
DOWN WHATCHA  
DOIN' HERE?  
WILL YOU PLEASE  
STOP SPEAKING  
TO ME?  
"Woman-Chaser!"  
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**Donald Duck**  
Vacation on the Home Front  
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**Blondie**  
OUR YARD SEEMS  
TO GET LARGER EVERY  
TIME I CUT THIS  
GRASS!  
OH, BOY,  
AM I  
ALL-IN?  
THE EXERCISE WILL  
MAKE YOU  
SLEEP GOOD  
TONIGHT  
DAWGONNIT! I JUST CUT  
THAT WHOLE YARD AGAIN!  
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**Boots and Her Buddies**  
ENOUGH IS ENOUGH  
By Edgar Martin  
OBOY! IT WON'T BE  
LONG NOW  
ISN'T THIS  
SILLY?  
LOOK, HASN'T THIS GONE  
ABOUT FAR ENOUGH?  
WHEN ARE WE GOIN'  
ON OUR VACATION?  
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**Red Rider**  
ALL FIGGERED OUT  
By Fred Harmon  
OBOY! IT WON'T BE  
LONG NOW  
ISN'T THIS  
SILLY?  
LOOK, HASN'T THIS GONE  
ABOUT FAR ENOUGH?  
WHEN ARE WE GOIN'  
ON OUR VACATION?  
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**Alley Oop**  
A DANGEROUS RUSE  
By V. T. Hamlin  
AN APE! ME??  
Y'MEAN YOU BEEN  
TAKING ALL ALONG  
THAT I WAS JUST  
AN APE?  
YEP... UP UNTIL YOU, VERY  
HUMANLY, SAID YOU  
WOULDN'T TRY TO  
CUT YOUR WAY  
THROUGH ALL  
THOSE ROMANS...  
I FIGURED  
YOU FOR JUST  
A SORT OF A  
HAIRLESS  
GORILLA!  
WHY,  
YOU...  
!!X  
T'LL BUST EVERY  
BONE IN YOUR  
CARCASS!  
SO FAR, SO GOOD! NOW IF  
MY FEET WILL ONLY HOLD  
OUT, WE MAY MAKE IT THROUGH  
THE ROMAN LINES!  
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**Freckles and His Friends**  
JUST MILDLY INTERESTED  
By Merrill Blosser  
FRECKLES, I'M  
WORRIED! LARD  
HASN'T BEEN HOME  
ALL DAY... AND HE'S  
NOT AT LANA'S HOUSE  
EITHER!  
I HAVEN'T SEEN HIM SINCE HE MET  
LANA! AND IF ANYTHINGS HAPPENED  
TO HIM, I'M NOT INTERESTED!  
HOW LONG HAS  
HE BEEN MISSING?  
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## Social and Personal

Daisy Dorothy Heard, Editor  
Phone 768 Between 8 a. m. and 4 p. m.

### Social Calendar

**Little Miss Hetty Jean Wilver Is Feted on Birthday**  
As special compliment to her daughter, Hetty Jean Wilver, on her third birthday, Saturday, Mrs. M. P. Wilver was hostess at a delightful party at her home, 615 East Second street.

The patriotic motif was carried out in the decorations of the entertaining rooms and was further stressed in the favors presented the guests. Clever games and contests were played during the hour with Misses Naomi Bruner, Nanette Williams, and Susan Woodford of Little Rock assisting.

Enjoying the party with the honoree were: Mary Beth Routon, Gail Cook, Sheila and Sharon Foster, Sandra Robins, Jim Greenwald, Johnny Watkins, Oliver Adams, Jr., Bennie Wilver, and Sandra Hobbs.

The hostess served the embossed birthday cake with ice cream during the afternoon.

**Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Brint Have Family Reunion**  
Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Brint of Spring Hill were hosts at a family reunion Sunday, June 27, at their home, the Yocum, including a number of relatives and close friends of the family.

Among those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Tom L. Brint, Robbie Brint of Spring Hill, Mrs. Lester Kent and daughters of Patmos, Mrs. Kelly Walton of Hope, Mr. and Mrs. Olin Brint and sons of New Orleans, Mrs. Earl Kreiger and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Chester May and children of Texarkana, Miss Freda Brint of Little Rock, Sergeant Henry F. Brint of Camp McCoy, Wis., Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Jones, Miss Helen Downs, Miss Bobbie Neil Odum, Little Odum, Mrs. Jack Kent, Miss Lucy Mae Sheppard, Mrs. James Anderson and son of Patmos, Mrs. Gilbert Starks, C. Yocum, George Johnson, Mrs. Marion Lester, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Martin of Spring Hill, and Mr. and Mrs. Brint Jones of Patmos.

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'The Payoff'

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### Coming and Going

Among the out-of-town friends of the late Clifford Ingram, who were in Hope Sunday for the interment following funeral services at the First Presbyterian Church of Bastrop, La., were: Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Robinson, Judge Frank Hawthorne, Johnnie Campbell, P. F. Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Youngblood, Jessie Rawlings, Jr., Don Files, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Tripp, Mrs. T. C. McCleight, Leroy Mattison, I. C. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hammond, Miss Martha Malloid, H. Webb Madison, Dr. W. V. Garner, all of Bastrop, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Few of Texarkana, Mr. and Mrs. Ike East of Springhill, La., Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Fuller of Baton Rouge, Ed Hayes and Mrs. Lois Hayes of Shreveport.

Mr. Will Orton and son, William, of Little Rock are visitors in the city. William Orton, who is a recent graduate of the University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, will enter Officers Training School at Fort Benning, Ga., next month.

After a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Bundy, Pvt. Bryant Bundy left today for Camp McClellan, Alabama.

Pfc. LaGrone Williams will return Thursday to his post at Camp White, Oregon after being the guest of his wife and mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Hefner and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bryan are spending the week in Hot Springs with friends from Atlanta, Texas.

**Hospital Notes**  
Hiram Meeks, who underwent an appendectomy at the Julia Chester hospital Monday, is reported much improved.

Mrs. Bernice Salisbury of Blevins is recuperating from a tonsillotomy at the Julia Chester.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Browning announce the arrival of a son, Larry Joe, June 26, at the Josephine hospital.

Mrs. A. J. Marlar is a patient in the Julia Chester, where she underwent a minor operation this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Johnson of Emmet are the parents of a daughter born Tuesday, June 29, at the Julia Chester.

Mrs. Gene Brooks is rapidly recovering from an appendix operation at the Julia Chester hospital, friends will be glad to know.

### Resident of Nevada Dies Friday Night

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Lou Skinner, 73, resident of Nevada county who died at her home in Bodew late Friday, were held at Forrest Hill Church at 2:30 Saturday afternoon with the Rev. Elbert O'Steen officiating.

She is survived by her husband, John W. Skinner, six children, Mrs. Will Porter, Mrs. Madison Hamm, C. L. and R. C. Skinner of Bodew, Mrs. Henry Boyett and J. P. Skinner of Hope.

### WOMEN WON'T TALK

CHAPTER XXIV  
JAIL

IT was Kathy's great moment and she was magnificent. She marched up to Shaw with her head held high and her eyes flashing scornfully at him.

"Nice work, sheriff," she taunted. "You've built a perfect case out of air. And if it was anyone but Gram, I'd let you get away with it. Sorry to spoil your climax—but I killed Derek Grady!"

No one seemed able to say anything.

"I killed him, but you'd never have proved it on me. I was too clever for you. I destroyed the only evidence you would ever have had against me. Destroyed it yesterday and no one suspected. My BLACK COAT, the BLACK COAT with the bullet hole in the pocket. I carried it out of here before their very eyes—Gram even saw me and talked to me in the hall. I took it out on the lake and filled the pockets with stones and sank it."

Shaw waited until she had finished and then said quietly, his words deflating her like a pin-pricked balloon. "I was wondering if I'd have to take your grandmother to jail before you'd break down and confess."

She struggled vainly to regain her self-assurance as he pounced questions at her. She had gone to the bank in Liston the morning of the day when Grady was killed, hadn't she? Yes, she had tried to cash a check for \$5,000 hadn't she, and the bank had had only \$500 in cash on hand? And the cashier had told her she couldn't get it until morning even by going to Middleton, for the banks closed there at noon on Thursdays, taking their half-holiday in midweek instead of on Saturday during the summer, wasn't that right? Yes, And Derek had gotten pretty nasty, hadn't he, when she went back to him with only

### Second Man Arrested for Espionage

New York, June 29 —(AP)—The Federal Bureau of Investigation announced today the arrest of a second man on charges of espionage in gathering vital war information for the German high command.

E. E. Conroy, chief of the FBI New York office, said that Erwin Harry de Spretter, 53, had been arrested and charged with collaborating with Ernest Frederick Lehmiltz, who admitted before a U. S. commissioner yesterday that he sent news of American war preparations to the Nazi intelligence system.

De Spretter, a consulting engineer for national defense plants who was educated at the University of Heidelberg, furnished Lehmiltz with technical information and other data concerning national defense with the intention of having Lehmiltz forward it to Germany, Conroy said.

De Spretter met with Lehmiltz on a number of occasions, Conroy related, and gave to him his observations on shipping in the New York Harbor. Lehmiltz was charged with sending such information, written in invisible ink between the lines of innocuous letters to persons in neutral countries, for Axis consumption.

Conroy said that de Spretter admitted he had obtained most of his information in a manner similar to that used by Lehmiltz—watching the New York harbor waterfront. Both men lived on the island.

De Spretter furnished Lehmiltz on one occasion with a copy of a confidential book published by an aircraft manufacturing company which contained detailed specifications of its planes as well as photographic drawings, Conroy said.

For this, de Spretter received \$100 from Lehmiltz, he added.

Unlike Lehmiltz, de Spretter was not a citizen of the United States, the FBI chief said. He was born in Montevideo, Uruguay, of a German father and Spanish mother. After a German education he was drafted in the German army during the first World War. He came to the United States in 1923, but never took out more than his first papers.

The prisoner, Conroy said, was president of the Aetna Heat Treating and Brazing Corporation, and his specialty was the examination of specifications and furnishing technical advice on heat radiation and Allied technical matters.

He was consulted by numerous companies which held national defense contracts, Conroy said, and that combined with his specialized knowledge put him in the position to furnish Lehmiltz with a volume of information of great value to the enemy.

The FBI has charged that Lehmiltz, an inconspicuous man who was a zealous air raid warden and whose neighbors considered him a model citizen, supplied the Nazi war machine with information on troop movements, shipments of men and war material, convoy sailings and shipbuilding, all collected near his home, strategically located near a waterfront teeming with battle preparations.

Soldiers make an average of eight moves by railroad between induction and embarkation for service overseas.

but please understand that our engagement's ended. You're not to blame for any of this, and it's not fair that you should suffer."

George's face flamed. "What do you take me for? I'm sticking of course."

Of course! The code of the George Bakers never allows them publicly to run out on a woman.

AND so George and Mattison and Walter went along when Shaw took Kathy away. Mattison giving me an odd look just before he went out the door.

Connie stayed behind, obviously thinking it her duty to take care of me. I let her help me up the stairs, but once there I told her I'd be all right and shut my bedroom door firmly in her face. Then I went to bed and to sleep.

I slept straight through until the next morning, and woke to find it still dark at 8 o'clock and heard rain pelted against the window panes.

I called Clara and asked her to bring my breakfast upstairs, and I was still eating when Walter came in. He gave me a couple of pieces of bad news to digest along with my toast and marmalade.

First, he said Kathy would have to stay in jail. There was something in the law which said a person charged with murder couldn't be released on bail. Then he added that George Baker was flying east to engage the best criminal lawyer available for Kathy's defense.

Those were a couple of angles I hadn't counted on. I thought things over and as soon as Walter left I got up and dressed and went downstairs and called Clint Mattison at the Cottage. I asked him if he'd drive me in to see Kathy.

That was the funny part of it. I didn't wait for Mattison to come looking for me. No, I sent for him!

And so I had no one but myself to blame for what happened after that.

(To Be Continued)

### Yanks Slam Japs Back on Land, Sea, Air

Washington, June 29 —(AP)—Japanese land and sea forces are being slammed with a mounting fury that may well mark the opening phases of a new campaign to drive the enemy farther back in the Pacific.

This became apparent today in the wake of the navy's two latest reports, listing 13 U. S. bomber raids throughout the Pacific and the destruction or damaging of 11 Japanese surface craft by American submarines.

From Kiska to the Solomons heavy and medium bombers sent their bombs crashing onto Japanese air, sea and supply bases.

Their raids came at almost the same time submarine commanders reported sinking six Japanese supply craft, damaging three others and sending a destroyer and mine layer to the bottom during battles in the "Pacific and Far East." These sinkings brought the totals for Pacific submarine action to 269 Japanese vessels—190 sunk, 29 probably sunk and 50 damaged.

Kiska, last Japanese foothold in the North Pacific Aleutian islands, shuddered under the heaviest raids in weeks.

Fighter planes screamed alongside the bombers on seven attacks, strafing ground personnel while the bombers plowed up the camp area, airfield and anti-aircraft emplacements.

Eight fires, possibly in barracks and supply dumps, were left blazing on Kiska after the 10th raid in the three days ending Saturday.

Some of the cargo, transport and supply vessels bugged by American submarines could have been trying to reinforce or supply that harbor base.

The Navy, however, merely gave this report on submarine action: Sunk—A destroyer, a mine layer, a large transport, three medium sized cargo vessels, a small cargo vessel and a small schooner.

Damaged—One large transport and two medium sized cargo vessels.

The destroyer presumably was engaged and sunk while convoying cargo or transport vessels and the mine layer while endeavoring to build a screen of mines to halt the American submarine forays which have reached the shoreline of Japan.

### GI Checkers Not What They Were

North Camp, Polk, La. —(AP)—Private Harold N. Fischer of New York says soldiers of the last war were better checker players than those of today.

As an infant checker prodigy he began touring Army camps in the last war, trouncing the men in uniform from Maine to Mississippi. Later he became a professional player and won the national championship three times.

Fischer's pet trick is beating 22 checker players and five chess players at the same time, moving from board to board like a quick-lunch-counter waitress. He says there's nothing to it.

"The untrained player plans only a move at a time," he explains. "By thinking only two or three moves ahead, the professional who ordinarily plans 10 or 15 moves in advance, can win easily."

A school of bluefishes will plow unswerving through a school of other fishes which it meets.

### German Spy Arrested



Ernest Frederick Lehmiltz who was arrested by FBI in New York as an alleged German spy.

Lehmiltz is said to have written numerous letters to Germany providing detailed information in secret writing on shipping conditions in New York harbor, and troops and convey movements.

### Marvin Jones

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House announcement of his resignation, to comment on Mr. Roosevelt's letter in which the president, after defending the subsidy program, said "it would be unfair to you to insist that you remain in your position when you feel that, all things considered, you cannot wholeheartedly support a program to hold down the cost of living."

Davis, who indicated a readiness to resume his duties as president of the federal reserve bank at St. Louis, said:

"I had hoped to have an opportunity to discuss the whole problem with the president. But that opportunity did not develop. It probably is just as well."

It was a reluctance on the part of Secretary of Agriculture Claude R. Wickard to operate under the setup against which Davis objected that led to Wickard being replaced as the first food administrator.

### Yanks Hammer

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area, in ammunition dumps and in the camp section.

"(C) During the night, United States planes bombed a small Japanese naval disposition in the central Solomons area. Results were not observed.

"(D) All United States planes returned from these attacks.

"North Pacific:  
"2. On June 27th, during the day Navy Ventura (Vega) PV medium bombers, Army Mitchell medium bombers, and Liberator heavy bombers carried out six attacks against Japanese installations at Kiska. . . . Hits were scored on the main camp and at the north head area. All United States planes returned.

"3. On June 28th, Army Mitchell medium bombers and Navy Ventura medium bombers attacked Japanese positions at Kiska and Little Kiska. Because of weather conditions complete observation of the results was not possible, but hits were reported on houses at Little Kiska. All United States planes returned."

Little Kiska, a rocky outcropping about a half mile off the east coast of Kiska, is considered by Navy officers to be for all tactical purposes a part of the larger island. The raid on it, therefore, was carried out as part of the Kiska raid. So far this month bombers and fighters of the Aleutians command have raided Kiska 41 times.

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### Many Miners Still Out in Pennsylvania

Pittsburgh, June 29 —(AP)—All of Kentucky's miners were back at their jobs today and more struggled back in western Pennsylvania, but there were a few sporadic walkouts in other sections and thousands were still holding out for increased wages and in some Pennsylvania regions and in Alabama.

Around 51,000 had worked in Kentucky yesterday, but all 60,000 there were back today except for usual absences.

The number of idle in Pennsylvania dropped from about 110,000 yesterday to slightly less than 100,000 but walkouts at three Alabama captive mines increased the strikers there from an estimated 18,000 to 20,000. Half of Pennsylvania's 200,000 miners were working, and about 4,000 were in the pits in Alabama.

About 3,500 more men left their jobs in the anthracite fields of Eastern Pennsylvania but this was largely offset by a back-to-work move which appeared to be gaining momentum in other sections of the same area.

The return of miners in Western Pennsylvania's soft coal fields reduced the number of idle there to around 45,000 out of 117,000 employed.

Miners in the last two idle pits in Ohio voted to return to work today, ending all stoppages in the state. About 30,000 were idle there yesterday and six mines were closed.

UMW spokesmen expressed confidence that the back to work movement would continue and hoped for a speedup.

The number still idle in the nation, based on estimates from the field, amounted to 139,000. More than 400,000 were working.

**Arkansas Miners Return**  
Fort Smith, June 29 —(AP)—The ten day work stoppage in Arkansas' union coal mines appeared to be ended today, as UMW members began to return to the pits for the first time since midnight June 18.

The largest back-to-work movement occurred in the Paris field, where one-fourth of the regular crew of about 1,400 was reported back on the job. A smaller percent-

### Army Mail Goes Through

Camp Polk, La. —(AP)—Officers here say that despite the fact that the camp postal service handles an incoming soldier mail comparable to that of a city of 1,500,000 population and forwards some 30,000 letters monthly to all corners of the world, an average of only six letters a day must be returned to their senders.

### Bobby Grayson in Action

San Francisco —(AP)—Lt. Bobby Grayson, University of Southern California's great back of a few years ago, has been assigned to active duty in the Pacific. His previous assignment was as an instructor at the Navy pre-flight school at Moraga, Calif.

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# War Depends Largely on Shoulders of Civilian Worker

## Analysis of the News by Mackenzie

Editorial Comment Written Today and Moved by Telegraph or Cable.

By DeWITT MacKENZIE

When I came out of the far-northern Maine woods last weekend, after being cut off from news during a fortnight's fishing vacation in the wilds, naturally the first thing I demanded was what the main development of the war had been during that period, and the quick answer was:

"The coal miners are going back to work."

Characterization of a coal mining situation as the biggest current news of the war had an odd ring in the ear, but undoubtedly that appraisal was the correct one. Continuance of the coal stoppage would represent a major disaster. We have been treading dangerously close to the edge of a precipice.

The trend of the operations in all theaters now depends on production and transportation. Invasions hinge on the availability of equipment and supplies in the fighting zones.

The next two months are likely to go far towards determining the length of the European conflict. If the Allies have the striking power to carry out projected operations and establish that western front this summer, the war will be greatly shortened. If cessation of production in any vital line at home right now should deprive the war fronts of supplies, then Hitler might get the year's respite which he has been hoping for to enable him to repair his damaged war-machine and get set for a defense calculated to produce a stalemate.

In short, as this column has remarked previously, the burden of this war rests very largely on the shoulders of the civilian workers at home. We can't pass the buck

to the soldiers at the front, because they are helpless without equipment. This is one case where the congregation has to do its own laboring and praying, and not leave everything to the overworked clergyman in his pulpit.

The second most important piece of news, and one closely interlocking with the first, seemed to be Stalin's renewed appeal for the opening of a western front by the Anglo-American Allies. The Soviet generalissimo in his reply to the Allied messages on the anniversary of Hitler's attack on Russia declared:

"Victory will come all the sooner, of this I have no doubt, the sooner we strike our joint united blows against the enemy from east and from west."

At the same time Moscow issued a communique which said that "everything now depends upon the manner in which our Allies will exploit the favorable situation by creating a second front in Europe, as victory over Hitlerite Germany is impossible without a second front in 1943" would be a serious setback for the Allied cause.

That summation represents the view as I have found it among American and British military men, although it isn't yet clear just how far the Anglo-American Allies may find it feasible to go this summer. It can be said that there still is a possibility of a wholesale invasion of the continent this year, if the Allies don't encounter any big hitch. Both Hitler and Mussolini are getting a powerful softening up, and the process is intensifying.

As things now stand it wouldn't be surprising to see an invasion of Sicily and Sardinia at any moment. Those plums seem about ripe for the plucking. Whether an assault on the Italian mainland or the Balkans will follow, remains to be seen but both are among the possibilities.

What Stalin is gunning for, of course, is an invasion of France across the English channel, so as to place the further square between two great armies, and he is very insistent. There are no indications thus far that this isn't in the cards. The Anglo-American air fleets are doing a magnificent job of spade work over Western Europe, and another few weeks of this might open the road for a landing.

Rickey Likes Klein  
Brooklyn, N. Y. — (AP) — Branch Rickey, Dodgers boss, thinks Lou Klein of the Cardinals is the best looking infielder in the league. Rickey, who discovered Klein: "I knew he couldn't miss. He runs like blazes, hits a long ball, and is a great competitor."

## Majors to Give 2-Day Receipts to War Relief

By JUDSON BAILEY

Associated Press Sports Writer

It's going to be a great relief for the major league clubs to start another round of intersectional play tomorrow.

This is because tomorrow is the first of two "war relief" days designated by Commissioner Kenesaw Mountain Landis with all clubs turning over their entire receipts to the National War Fund.

Last year each club played a pair of games for the Army and Navy Relief societies and some of them were given haphazard promotion by the clubs concerned. Nevertheless, the 16 games, played on various dates and under various conditions, netted \$506,830.30.

This year baseball has profited from its experience in 1942 and has mobilized for two big relief days, June 30 and July 28 instead of scattering their dates and the whole show is being gilded with gaudy side-features. All the shows will be either doubleheaders or twilight or night games.

The program tomorrow: National League — St. Louis at New York (doubleheader), Cincinnati at Brooklyn (doubleheader), Chicago at Boston (doubleheader), Pittsburgh at Philadelphia (night). American League — New York at Cleveland (night), Philadelphia at St. Louis (night), Boston at Detroit (twilight), Washington at Chicago (doubleheader), combined Washington-Chicago squad plays Great Lakes naval training station in first game.

These games will set off a busy two-week program for both leagues with a heavy holiday schedule awaiting all clubs this week — end and the annual all-star game coming up at Philadelphia two weeks from tonight.

As was customary this year, most clubs had a two-day intermission before embarking on the east-west series. The only activity in the majors yesterday was a night game at Pittsburgh with the Pirates pummeling the Cincinnati Reds 7-1. Truett (Rip) Sewell, on the way to his most successful season, pitched steady, seven-hit ball and personally whacked Bucky Walters off the mound with a two-run triple in the second inning. The opening frame Bob Elliott contributed a two-run homer toward Sewell's tenth triumph against two defeats.

## SPORTS ROUNDUP

By Hugh S. Fullerton, Jr.

Associated Press Sports Columnist

New York, June 29 — (AP) — John (Red) Barkley, the new Dodger shortstop who has been getting rave notices (maybe because he can finish a game all in one piece) wasn't a "regular" on his club during the national semi-pro tournament last summer. He played only four of the Cessna team's seven games. . . . Sgt. Young Kid McCoy figures he ought to know how to whip Jake LaMotta in their clash at Detroit tomorrow because he has been training with Ray Robinson, who did it twice. . . . Ken Shell, Utah's new amateur golf champion, crushed his left hand in a steel roller seven years ago. He still can't close it entirely and has to have the grips of all his clubs enlarged before he can use them. . . . He also doesn't recommend the stunt to golfers who want to become champs.

Hambledonian from Goshen to the Empire City Track, chances are that he'll insist on being granted a week there to stage a harness race meet the way he thinks it should be done. . . . Henry P. Edwards, who retired as head of the American League Service Bureau a year ago, decided there was entirely too much peace and quiet to suit him in a small Alabama town and has moved back to Chicago. . . . Jackie Maguire, 18-year-old infielder who looks like the best prospect on the Giants' Jersey City Farm, is the son of Giant Scout, Gordon MacGuire. . . . But his dad can't claim credit for turning him up. Bubber Jonard spotted the kid in St. Louis and had him out for a try-out with the Giants last year.

Today's GuerStar  
Tommy Fitzgerald, Louisville Courier-Journal: "Since the government has announced that the diaper shortage has ended, colleges can go ahead now and order their football uniforms for next fall."

Service Dept.  
Seattle: Rumor is that the best football team in America next fall will be playing for Camp Paragard, Idaho, which won't have much of a schedule. . . . Ray Flaherty, who'll coach, already has available Ki Aldrich, Bill Young, Clem Stralka, Ed Justice, Jim Barber and Marvin Whitfield from his Washington Redskins club; Bud Radovich of the Detroit Lions, Lou Tomasetti of the Philly Eagles, Billy Jefferson of the Dodgers and Urban Odson and Bob Sweigert — Just a couple of college boys from Minnesota. . . . Corp. Mickey Harris, the ex-pro soccer, has more than 100 pictures of baseball players in the "public library" he is collecting for soldiers in the Caribbean area. . . . The overseas edition of the Sporting News, "baseball's bible," also included items on boxing, football, track, tennis — and cheesecake photos.

The Life of Whirly  
There's no more racing for Whirly away. . . . Whose winnings are by no means hay. . . . He'll live the life of a gentleman farmer. . . . And ogle many an equine charmer.

One Minute Sports Page  
If Bill Cane agrees to shift the

## Market Report

ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK  
National Stockyards, Ill., June 29 — (AP) — (WFA) — Hogs, 10,000; opened 20-25 lower than Monday's average on good and choice 180-200 lbs. at 13.50-60; 100 lbs. down 40-50 lower; 140-160 lbs. 12.50-13.10; 100-130 lbs. 11.50-12.35; sows 35-50 lower at 12.50-75.

Cattle, 2,500; calves, 1,500; generally steady; good and choice steers 15.25-16.00; good mixed yearlings and heifers 14.00 - 15.25; medium heifers in narrow demand; common and medium cows 10.25-11.50; medium and good sausage bulls 12.50-13.75; good and choice vealers 14.75; medium and good 12.25 and 13.50; nominal range slaughter steers 11.50 - 16.50, slaughter heifers 10.50-15.50, stocker and feeder steers 11.00-15.65.

Sheep, 4,000; nothing done early; a few bids about steady with Monday.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS  
Chicago, June 29 (AP) — Buying of July wheat by eastern interests during the final hour today helped prices to advance substantially from the day's low points. There were also purchases by milling interests but local and hedge selling were in evidence.

The trade generally showed disappointment over the resignation of War Food Administrator Chester Davis and expressed fears that the programs inaugurated under his direction might be headed for the discard.

Wheat closed unchanged to 1-2 cent under Monday's final levels: July \$1.44 3-4 - 7-8; September \$1.45 - 1.45 1-8; rye was 7-8 to 1-4 off, July 99-99 1-8, September \$1.00 3-4 - 1-01; and oats lost Cash wheat: No sales. Corn: Sample grade yellow 1.04 1-2.

Oats: No sales. Barley malting: 1.06-1.15 nominal.

NEW YORK COTTON  
New York, June 29 — (AP) — Cotton futures declined today on fears that a shakeup in the war food administration might mean more rigid price control which brought about nervous liquidation.

Late values were off 35 to 55 cents a bale, July 20-41, Oct. 19-94 and Dec. 19-75.

Futures closed 40 to 80 cents a bale lower: July — opened, 20.34; closed, 20.36; Oct. — opened, 20.05; closed, 19.93; Dec. — opened, 19.86; closed, 19.73; May — opened, 19.67; closed, 19.54; Middling spot 21.65; off 12.

N - Nominal.

## Nashville Hikes Lead Over Rocks to 4 1/2 Games

By The Associated Press

Chattanooga's Lookouts today were within half a game of climbing back into the Southern Association's first division, their 7-1 triumph at Atlanta last night also having enabled them to break a fifth place deadlock with Atlanta's Crackers.

The New Orleans Pelicans, who jumped into fourth place with their recent winning stride, meanwhile, suffered a double setback at the hands of the cellar-dwelling Chicks from Memphis. The scores were 5-2 and 3-2.

With the first half race scheduled to close July 4, Nashville stretched its lead over second-place Little Rock to four and a half games. After the Vols had pounced out a 11-1 victory at Knoxville, Birmingham's Barons beat the Little Rock Travelers 9-3.

Norman Fox, Baron righthander, chalked up his twelfth victory of the season and enjoyed a perfect night at bat, getting four for four, including a triple while allowing

the Travelers not a single earned run. Today's schedule, pitchers in parentheses. Chattanooga (unannounced) at Atlanta (Todd). Little Rock (Papish) at Birmingham (Lapishuska). Memphis (unannounced) at New Orleans (Williams). Nashville (Mooley) at Knoxville (Powers).

## Sports Mirror

By The Associated Press

Today A Year Ago — Leo Duracher, manager of Brooklyn Dodgers, fined \$50 and suspended three days for kicking dust on Umpire Dunn and also tossing towel in Arbitrator's face.

Three Years Ago — Cronelius Warmendam cleared 15 feet 1 3/8 inches to wipe out all existing records and win national AAU Pole Vault Crown at Fresno, Calif.

Five Years Ago — War admiral, 2 to 5 favorite and winner of 11 straight, badly beaten on heavy track in \$50,000 Massachusetts handicap at Suffolk Downs. Menow won.

## Oil and Gas

LaFayette County, Arkansas

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**SAVE FOOD**  
Plant a victory garden and preserve your surplus.  
Put up as many fruits and berries as possible. Your Gas range makes canning easy.  
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Cook vegetables and fruits in their skins whenever possible—and over a low Gas flame.  
Roast meats at low temperature in your Gas oven to reduce shrinkage. Use left-overs in stews, hash, meat pies.

**SAVE GAS**  
Plan complete oven and broiler meals to economize on the use of Gas.  
Do not light your Gas oven or broiler too far in advance. Remember—Gas is fast.  
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Do not turn the Gas flame any higher than necessary.  
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**SAVE VITAMINS**  
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